

## REPORT ON OIL ENGINE MACHINERY.

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No. in Survey held at TURIN Date, First Survey 9/12/37 Last Survey 13/1/1939  
Reg. Book. 88666 on the Single } Screw vessel "JAMES J. MAQUIRE" Number of Visits 20Tons { Gross 10525  
Net 6065

Built at MONFALCONE By whom built Cantieri Riuniti dell'Adriatico Yard No. 1207 When built 1938

Engines made at TURIN By whom made FIAT Stabilimento Grandi Motori Engine No. 2567 When made 1938

Donkey Boilers made at By whom made Boiler No. When made

Brake Horse Power 3600 Owners Port belonging to

Nom. Horse Power as per Rule 1003 Is Refrigerating Machinery fitted for cargo purposes Is Electric Light fitted

Trade for which vessel is intended

OIL ENGINES, &amp;c. Type of Engines FIAT L.S. 688 Solid injection 2 or 4 stroke cycle 2 Single or double acting Single

Maximum pressure in cylinders 50 kgs/sq. cm. Diameter of cylinders 26 3/4 680 mm Length of stroke 43 5/16 1100 mm No. of cylinders 8 No. of cranks 8

Mean Indicated Pressure 5.55 kgs/sq. cm.

Span of bearings, adjacent to the Crank, measured from inner edge to inner edge 920 mm Is there a bearing between each crank Yes

Revolutions per minute 110 Flywheel dia. 2400 mm Weight 7500 kgs Means of ignition Compression Kind of fuel used Diesel Oil

Crank Shaft, dia. of journals as per Rule 413.5 mm as fitted 450 mm Crank pin dia. 450 mm Crank Webs Mid. length breadth shrunk Thickness parallel to axis 290 mm Mid. length thickness shrunk Thickness around eyehole 212.5 mm

Flywheel Shaft, diameter as per Rule as fitted Intermediate Shafts, diameter as per Rule as fitted Thrust Shaft, diameter at collars as per Rule 344 mm as fitted 450 mm

Tube Shaft, diameter as per Rule as fitted Screw Shaft, diameter as per Rule as fitted Is the { tube } shaft fitted with a continuous liner { screw }

Bronze Liners, thickness in way of bushes as per Rule as fitted Thickness between bushes as per rule as fitted Is the after end of the liner made watertight in the

propeller boss If the liner is in more than one length are the junctions made by fusion through the whole thickness of the liner

If the liner does not fit tightly at the part between the bearings in the stern tube, is the space charged with a plastic material insoluble in water and non-corrosive

If two liners are fitted, is the shaft lapped or protected between the liners Is an approved Oil Gland or other appliance fitted at the after end of the tube

shaft If so, state type Length of Bearing in Stern Bush next to and supporting propeller

Propeller, dia. Pitch No. of blades Material whether Moveable Total Developed Surface sq. feet

Method of reversing Engines Direct Is a governor or other arrangement fitted to prevent racing of the engine when disengaged Yes Means of lubrication

Forced Thickness of cylinder liners 63 mm Are the cylinders fitted with safety valves Yes Are the exhaust pipes and silencers water cooled or lagged with

non-conducting material If the exhaust is led overboard near the waterline, what means are arranged to prevent water from being syphoned back to the engine

Cooling Water Pumps, No. Is the sea suction provided with an efficient strainer which can be cleared within the vessel

Bilge Pumps worked from the Main Engines, No. Diameter Stroke Can one be overhauled while the other is at work

Pumps connected to the Main Bilge Line { No. and Size How driven

Is the cooling water led to the bilges If so, state what special arrangements are made to deal with this water in addition to the ordinary bilge pumping

arrangements

Ballast Pumps, No. and size Power Driven Lubricating Oil Pumps, including Spare Pump, No. and size

Are two independent means arranged for circulating water through the Oil Cooler Suctions, connected to both Main Bilge Pumps and Auxiliary Bilge

Pumps, No. and size:—In Machinery Spaces In Pump Room

In Holds, &amp;c.

Independent Power Pump Direct Suctions to the Engine Room Bilges, No. and size

Are all the Bilge Suction pipes in Holds and Tunnel Well fitted with strum-boxes Are the Bilge Suctions in the Machinery Spaces

led from easily accessible mud-boxes, placed above the level of the working floor, with straight tail pipes to the bilges

Are all Sea Connections fitted direct on the skin of the ship Are they fitted with Valves or Cocks

Are they fixed sufficiently high on the ship's side to be seen without lifting the platform plates Are the Overboard Discharges above or below the deep water line

Are they each fitted with a Discharge Valve always accessible on the plating of the vessel Are the Blow Off Cocks fitted with a spigot and brass covering plate

What pipes pass through the bunkers How are they protected

What pipes pass through the deep tanks Have they been tested as per Rule

Are all Pipes, Cocks, Valves, and Pumps in connection with the machinery and all boiler mountings accessible at all times

Is the arrangement of valves and their connections such as to prevent the possibility of water passing from the sea or from water tanks into the cargo or machinery spaces, or from one

compartment to another Is the Shaft Tunnel watertight Is it fitted with a watertight door worked from

If a wood vessel, what means are provided to prevent leakage of either fuel oil or of lubricating oil from saturating the woodwork

Main Air Compressors, No. No. of stages Diameters Stroke Driven by

Auxiliary Air Compressors, No. No. of stages Diameters Stroke Driven by

Small Auxiliary Air Compressors, No. No. of stages Diameters Stroke Driven by

Scavenging Air Pumps, No. One with two cylinders, double acting tandem Diameter 1380 mm Stroke 750 mm Driven by Main Engine

Auxiliary Engines crank shafts, diameter as per Rule as fitted



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**AIR RECEIVERS:**—Is each receiver, which can be isolated, fitted with a safety valve as per Rule

Can the internal surfaces of the receivers be examined and cleaned

Is a drain fitted at the lowest part of each receiver

**High Pressure Air Receivers, No.**

Cubic capacity of each

Internal diameter

thickness

Seamless, lap welded or riveted longitudinal joint

Material

Range of tensile strength

Working pressure

by Rules  
Actual

**Starting Air Receivers, No.**

Total cubic capacity

Internal diameter

thickness

Seamless, lap welded or riveted longitudinal joint

Material

Range of tensile strength

Working pressure

by Rules  
Actual

**IS A DONKEY BOILER FITTED?**

If so, is a report now forwarded?

Is the donkey boiler intended to be used for domestic purposes only

**PLANS.** Are approved plans forwarded herewith for Shafting 3/12/36: 4/12/36: 22/2/37 Receivers

Separate Tanks

Donkey Boilers

General Pumping Arrangements

Oil Fuel Burning Arrangements

### SPARE GEAR.

Has the spare gear required by the Rules been supplied

To be placed on board at Trieste

State the principal additional spare gear supplied

**FIAT**

**SOCIETÀ ANONIMA**

**Il Direttore Centrale**

(ING. GIOVANNI CHIESA)

The foregoing is a correct description,

Manufacturer.

Dates of Survey while building { During progress of work in shops-- 1937 Dec. 9, 16; 1938 Feb. 3; Apr. 11; May 12; June 9, 17; July 21; Aug. 2, 9, 18; Sept. 1, 8, 15, 23, 29; Oct. 6, 13, 20  
During erection on board vessel-- Dec. 15; 1939 Jan. 13  
Total No. of visits 21

Dates of Examination of principal parts—Cylinders 13/10/38 Covers 13/10/38 Pistons 12/5/38 Rods 29/9/38 Connecting rods 6/10/38

Crank shaft 12/9/38 30/5/38 15/9/38 Flywheel shaft

Thrust shaft

Intermediate shafts

Tube shaft

Screw shaft

Propeller

Stern tube

Engine seatings

Engines holding down bolts

Completion of fitting sea connections

Completion of pumping arrangements

Engines tried under working conditions

Crank shaft, Material S.M. Steel

Identification Mark 5735 J.Q. 10.3.38

Flywheel shaft, Material

Identification Mark

Thrust shaft, Material S.M. Steel

Identification Mark 5544 J.Q. 7.10.37

Intermediate shafts, Material

Identification Marks

Tube shaft, Material

Identification Mark

Screw shaft, Material

Identification Mark

Is the flash point of the oil to be used over 150° F. Yes

Have the requirements of the Rules for oil fuel pipes and tank fittings been complied with

Is the vessel (not being an oil tanker) fitted for carrying oil as cargo

If so, have the requirements of the Rules been complied with

If the notation for Ice Strengthening is desired, state whether the requirements in this respect have been complied with

Is this machinery duplicate of a previous case Yes

If so, state name of vessel "Fony A. Brown", "JOHN A. BROWN"

**General Remarks** (State quality of workmanship, opinions as to class, &c.)

The Machinery of this vessel has been constructed under SPECIAL SURVEY of tested materials and is in accordance with The Secretary's Letters, Approved Plans and Rule Requirements.

The materials and the workmanship are good and The engine when tried on the test bed was found to work satisfactorily.

The machinery has now been forwarded to Trieste, where it will be installed on board the "M/V JAMES J. MAQUIRE" and when this has been done to the satisfaction of the Society's Surveyors at that Port, the vessel will be eligible, in our opinion, to be classed in the Society's Register Book and to have the notation "OIL ENGINE" + LMC (with date)

The amount of Entry Fee .. £ 560 = :  
Special ... £ 9258 = :  
Donkey Boiler Fee ... £ 1000 = :  
Travelling Expenses (if any) £ 3000 = :  
When applied for, 23rd Jan. 1939  
When received, 5/4/1939

Committee's Minute

Assigned

FRI 26 MAY 1939

See Tri. 76 12516

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Engineer Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of Shipping.



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